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MORNING REVIEW

SUNDAY, APRIL 5, 1900.

YOURSELF AND OTHERS.

George Golze is spending Sunday in Indianapolis.

Miss Carrie Marker is at Dalton City to spend Sunday.

W. M. Becher, of Atwood, is spending Sunday in Decatur.

Mrs. E. L. Hays is back at home after a visit at Memphis, Tenn.

Miss Bertha Harpiste is the guest of friends at Bloomington.

Mrs. Frank Mahan is recovering from a severe attack of sickness.

Miss Ella C. Ground, of Dalton City, is in the city visiting relatives.

G. W. Drysdale and wife of Blue Mound, were in Decatur yesterday.

James Seiberling and wife of Blue Mound, are visiting J. D. Seiberling.

Miss Clara Shaw, of Orem, is a guest at the home of W. E. Brown.

E. E. Bragg, of Varner, Mo., is the guest of his brother, H. M. Bragg.

Mrs. J. W. Hughes and son, Otto, have come to their home in Nebraska.

Miss Hattie Brown returned yesterday from a ten days' visit at St. Louis.

Miss Kate McBurn returned yesterday from a visit with relatives at Orem.

Caldo Bartlett, of Upper Alton, is in the city, and will make this his future home.

W. H. Madden left last night for Denver, Colo., to attend the wedding of a brother.

W. A. Webb and B. F. Burns were visitors to Decatur yesterday from Dalton City.

Mrs. Matt Blenz and Mrs. Ed. Baker are at Taylorville visiting Miss Fannie Baker.

Ed Moran left last night for Cincinnati. He will be away several days on a business trip.

C. Ruchel and Miss Stummel departed for Forsyth last night to spend Sunday with friends.

Elliott Perkins, of Indianapolis, is the guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Hatch.

Mrs. C. E. Head and child and Miss Annie O'Ranger left yesterday for a visit at Toledo, O.

Sam Stokes, of Monticello county, and W. A. Underwood, of Lexington, were visitors yesterday to Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Stafford, of Minneapolis, Minn., are visiting Mr. Stafford, on East Eldorado street.

Hugh Orr, of Monticello, arrived in the city yesterday on a visit to his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Orr.

John Mentz, of Shell City, Kan., was in the city yesterday on his way to Cedar Grove on a business trip.

Squire Garver, of Orem, Squire Mahan, of Argenta, and C. H. Holscomb, of Oakley, were in the city yesterday.

Misses Laura and Grace Palmer have returned to Springfield after a visit with Mrs. Scott, on East Eldorado street.

Mrs. E. H. Jones returned home yesterday afternoon from a visit of several weeks with her sister in Fairbury, Ill.

K. E. Morgan, of St. Louis, manager of the American Steam Laundry company, was in the city yesterday on a business trip.

Miss Lillian Chasley is expected home from St. Louis today after a visit of several months with relatives in that city.

Fredrick A. Brown left for Chicago yesterday. He has gone to attend to business that will keep him there all this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rogers, of Newton, Kan., are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. William Moore, on West Main street.

Mrs. E. Mitchell, of Gibson City, departed for her home yesterday, after a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. Singleton.

Fred Kaylor, who has been spending a short vacation at home, returned to the High School at Pekin, yesterday. He will graduate in May.

Mrs. C. H. Lewis, of Champaign, grandmother of the Ladies' Court, in Illinois, is in the city to attend the funeral of Rev. E. P. Moore today.

Rev. W. H. Davis went to Millersville yesterday to fill his appointment the first time for several weeks. He has been kept at home by the grippe.

Robert Elliott, of Harrisburg, was in the city yesterday and purchased a ticket for Los Angeles, Cal. He will be away several months on a prospecting trip.

Next Thursday George Golze, Frank Williams and Bob Muzzy will leave for the east to join Foreman's circus. They will play in the band this summer.

Mrs. Frank Deal and son went to Indianapolis yesterday to see Mr. Deal, who will leave in a few days for Europe in the interests of the congested rail.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pinkard, of Monticello, were in the city yesterday on their way to Brighton, Ill., to attend the funeral of Mr. Pinkard's father, which occurs today.

G. C. Kinsman and Charlie, departed last night for Detroit, Michigan. Charlie will enter the Michigan Military Academy at Orchard Lake, which is situated near Detroit.

J. L. Pickering, of Springfield, the newspaper correspondent who chewed up a half a gross of lead pencils in expressing his indignation at not being met at the depot by a delegation of prominent citizens when he came to Gen. Palmer's train, was again last night. That was the reason the ground was shaking. It wasn't an earthquake, as some supposed.

STRAY SCRAPS.

Some of the voters in the Fifth ward are talking of Malcom Gillis as a candidate for alderman.

The Brown University boys on a musical tour, passed through the city yesterday on their way to Providence.

There will be held the regular meeting of the Pastors' Association Monday at 10 a.m. in the First M. E. church.

The marriage of Adolph Schlick and Miss Mary Keck will take place to-morrow night at the bride's home on Wood street.

The foundation for a big elevator has been completed by M. A. Nicky, at Oakley. He will have it operation in a month.

The wife and baby of S. H. Jameson, proprietor of the European hotel, are very sick.

John Liechtenberger was before Justice Provost yesterday, charged with intoxication. He pleaded guilty and was let off with the usual fine.

J. M. Huff had a large plate glass put in yesterday at his restaurant to replace the one broken by the furious wind storm last Thursday week.

A reception to new member of St. John's church will be given on Tuesday evening at the residence of J. J. Peddeco, by the Brotherhood of St. Andrew.

A lady from Maroa was in the city on business yesterday and that business was to have every tooth in her head pulled out. Twenty-one were quickly removed by a local dentist.

Dave Wilson, a well known colored man, was around shaking hands with his friends last night, and bidding ever with happiness. Tomorrow he will lead to the altar at the Macedonia Baptist church.

The hook and ladder truck, which is part of the equipment of the Mazon street house, became so dislodged that it had to be taken apart to be patched up. It will be several days before it will be ready for use again.

A Jacksonville paper says B. Fay Mills liked that town so well that he is thinking of making it his home. For some time he has thought of leaving the east and ending west, where he finds there is more opportunity for him.

Residents near the corner of Front and Ceto Garza streets are complaining about a pig pen that is keeping the air heavy, with a mighty and variegated assortment of smells. The health officer can do nothing themselves by having the nuisance abated.

The Weber Comedy company finished its week's engagement here last night with the play having the appropriate title, "Escaped from the Law." Doubtless they were very thankful that they did escape a stern stage owner's wrath for having come to entertain themselves.

Street Commissioner Alexander had the street swept out yesterday on the paved streets, from which the mud had been previously removed. The sweepers work all right on such pavements, and is a great situation when the dirt to be removed is not too thick. North Main and West North are now as clean as streets can be.

The F. M. B. A. is growing rapidly in Mazon county. J. W. Theobald has instituted five judges in the last two weeks. They are at Orem, Oakley, Sandy Grove, in Wheatland township, and one at the school house in the Glasgow neighborhood, west of Decatur. As soon as the county association gets money enough ahead, a store will be opened in Mazon.

The other evening a young and well dressed woman came in H. A. Wallace's military store on Water street and asked to be shown the latest styles in genuine head gear. Her fasciolas taste could not be added however, and while the clerk was busy waiting on another patron the young woman walked out of the store and with her disappeared a \$9 hat of the latest style. The article has not come to light since.

Schwartz took the train.

Some time ago W. T. Evans, of Decatur, wrote to George Schwabmuth, of Rockford, Ill., the man reported as claiming to be Jesus Christ, to ask just exactly what he pretended to be. An answer was received yesterday by Mr. Evans, which shows that he claims everything. The letter was written by S. Ford, one of Schwabmuth's disciples, as his master was too busy to write himself. He said, "Schwabmuth again takes up his habitation on earth in the person of the man to whom your letter was addressed, and so we proclaim to you and to the whole world, in the light that lighteth, that this is Jesus, the Savior, come again."

This new savior was formerly a German Methodist minister. His name was then George E. Schwabmuth, but now since he became divine, he will be known only as Schwabmuth, which is another name, according to him, for Christ. He has quite a following at Rockford.

A Child Seized.

Dr. Hostetter was hurriedly summoned to the house of H. C. Shriver, at 64 East Condit street, yesterday evening, to attend Mr. Shriver's three year old daughter, Ethel, who had seriously scalded herself in a somewhat peculiar manner. Mrs. Shriver was lifting a pot of boiling water from the cook stove, and was carrying it across the room, when the little girl ran underneath the kettle. Her head struck the bottom and tipped it over, and the scalding water spilled over the child's neck, shoulders, and arms, burning her dreadfully. Dr. Hostetter dressed the painful wounds and gave the child relief, but he cannot tell yet the extent of the injuries the girl received.

Death of Mrs. Ping.

After an illness of only two weeks Mrs. Charles W. Ping died at 5 o'clock of P. M. last night at her home 1074 North Church street. She leaves beside her husband, a father, H. S. Ping, two brothers, and a little two weeks old daughter, whose advent into the world was the beginning of the sickness that took the mother's life. Mrs. Ping was born in Decatur, and has passed in this city the 23 short years that were allotted her. A wide circle of friends who knew her best, perhaps, as May Stine, will be severely pained to learn of her death.

Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been made.

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THE BODY FOUND.

The Tireless Searchers Succeeded in Finding Bart Leforgee.

After almost three days of sleepless anxiety and terrible suspense, the body of Barton Leforgee was found yesterday at 5 minutes after 12. It had been in the water three whole days, lacking but about four hours. During that time the very spot where it was brought to the surface had been gone over dozens of times. The clothes had been torn in five places by hooks, but the body was unharmed, showing that it had even been disarranged, but not brought within the range of eager eyes that so persistently strived to penetrate the secret of the dark waters.

The body was found about 75 yards east of the county bridge, near the roots of a big sycamore tree, about the middle of the stream. The water there is perhaps 8 feet deep. The spot is but a short distance down the stream from where the unfortunate boy was last seen, showing that the current had not carried him far. It is not thought that it was lodged against anything. A heavy log was pulled up there early in the morning, and some said the body must have been against it. That is mere conjecture, however.

That is the story of the search, reported to be told. Within a few minutes after the boy disappeared beneath the cold, dark surface of the river, Coroner Bendure was on the bank. He has been there almost constantly since. He early took charge of the workers and day and night has given his time and thought to directing their efforts. Friday night, after everything available had been used D. A. Madit suggested a cheek rower line with hooks fastened. That seemed to be feasible, and he prepared such a line, putting 300 hooks on it, each hook about 4 inches from the others. The line was stretched across the river, which was already spanned by a hempen cable. Several boats with two men in each, then covered the river. One man held to the cable, while another fastened a guy rope to the hook line. Then the line was dropped in the water. A short distance from where the boy went down, with Coroner Bendure in charge on one side, and D. A. Madit on the other, the line was slowly drawn up, bringing everything movable in the bottom. After one haul was made the line of boats dropped down 10 feet another pull was made.

When several such hauls had been made a hook pulled out near the boat in which was A. J. Louncecker and J. H. Bailey. Some say it was the very same hook that upset Samuel Kaylor and Bart Leforgee on that fateful afternoon. A new hook was put on the line and it was dropped again. When it was brought up the men in the boat knew by the way it pulled that something was on the line. Then the back of the body they were looking for came into view, and the long search was over.

The body was towed to shore, pulled into a boat and all taken out on the bank. As the precious form was being lifted into the boat a brass telescope, 14 inches long extended, and a screw driver, dropped from the coat pocket. They lay unheeded in the bottom of the boat, and were afterwards brought to this office. An overcoat was thrown over the face and Coroner Bendure summoned. He had only gone to Coroner's residence to get dinner for the men at work. He came soon and removed the body to P. H. Underlaking room. The body was almost unaffected by the stay in the water. The face looked as if the boy was asleep. There was no trace of pain or anguish, and no discoloration.

In the afternoon an inquest was held. J. A. Backway, W. H. Bailey, B. N. Adams, A. T. Davis, W. F. Lawrence and E. E. Miller were the jurymen. Sam Kaylor, Lim Blackstone and Ben Freeman were the only witnesses. What they testified to has already been published. The verdict was that Barton Leforgee came to his death by accidental drowning while bathing in the Sagamon river.

Last night the body was put in a handsome casket and taken to the home of the boy's parents at 140 West North street. Friends of the family may see it there to-day between 9 and 2.

The funeral will be held at the Christian church at 3:30 this afternoon.

A Victim.

Mrs. Washington, who lives on Washington, who lives on North Broadway, appeared before Justice Provost yesterday and had a warrant issued for the arrest of Ida Crawford for an unprovoked and cruel assault on the 4-year-old son of Mrs. Washington. From report Ida seems to be something of a tough character. She has figured in several cases in court during the last few months. She became incensed at the little boy, and after slapping him, picked him up and slammed him violently on the ground. Another instance of her cruelty is given as her treatment of Mattie Huber, a little girl who was thrown clear over a fence by the actions woman in one of her fits of anger. Yesterday afternoon when Officer Leech went to serve the warrant Ida became very abusive and threatened to scold the officer with a bucket of water if he did not clear out. He served the warrant, however, although he had to submit to all kinds of vulgar abuse. The trial will take place before Justice Provost at 10 o'clock Monday morning.

Your Aid is Asked.

Up to yesterday nothing had been done in response to the call to aid the sufferers at Metropolis. On Monday Peter Loeb and Dr. Bumstead will start around to solicit subscriptions for the benefit of the cyclone sufferers, and they earnestly request a liberal response by the citizens. The feeling that seems to be so general among the Decatur business men that the people of Metropolis do not need any outside help, is contradicted by a late Chicago paper, which states that a very large number of the people at Metropolis are in almost destitute circumstances.

Want a Double Track Ordinance.

At the council meeting to-morrow night, unless there is some change of plan, the Citizens Street Car company will present an ordinance granting them the right of way for a double track on North Water street and East Main street, from the Baptist church to Lincoln square. The ordinance will be accompanied by a petition from property owners representing more than half the frontage. Then an effort will be made to have the rules suspended and the ordinance passed at once.

Fined for Assault.

Mrs. Jane Murray had Thomas Meecham arrested yesterday, charging him with assault and battery on her son, Willie Murray. The two boys had been fighting, and Meecham hit Murray with a brick, almost paralyzing the latter. Justice Curtis fined Meecham \$5 and costs. Murray was also fined \$5 and costs for assault and battery on Meecham.

TRACK AND TRAIN.

P. F. Carroo, Wabash draughtsman, is at Peoria to-day.

The P. D. & E. passenger train was 10 minutes late yesterday afternoon. Harry Kennedy, I. C. operator, is spending Sunday with his parents at Shobonier, Ill.

J. B. Stansbury, of Indianapolis, agent of The Traders' Dispatch, was in the city yesterday.

C. G. Hatch, of St. Louis, general Passenger agent of the Cotton Belt, was in the city yesterday.

Superintendent Magee, of the Wabash, was in the city yesterday in his official car, on the way to St. Louis.

M. C. Irish, superintendent of the Washburn dining car department, left for Adrian, Mich., yesterday, to spend Sunday with his family.

Charles Kinsman, who was storekeeper of the Wabash telegraph department, has resigned the position, and James Keeley will take the place to-morrow.

Passenger traffic on the different railway lines centering in Decatur, is noted to be perceptibly increasing, and the demand for proper depot accommodations increases proportionately.

It is now understood that the Lake Erie & Western and the Wabash roads will establish a line of coaches between Indianapolis and Detroit, with the taking effect of the spring time table.

By invitation of the Wabash a large number of ladies and gentlemen ran out in special train yesterday from the Union depot in St. Louis to inspect the Pintsch system of lighting cars. The special ran across the bridge and over the east-side line to Edwardsville and return. There was music, flowers and refreshments aboard.

The Vandalla last week purchased from Keegan & Halpin, of New York, an apparatus known as the "Wellis Light," to be used in case of a wreck at night, or for night tracking laying. It consists of a steel boiler plate tank 18x24 and wheels, when full of oil (kerosene) 20 pounds. The burner, which emits a flame twenty-four inches long, is attached to the tank by means of a 2-1/2 pipe, which may be extended to any desired length by the addition of new joints. The light is produced by generating oil into gas by the heat of its own combustion, and will burn nine hours before the oil is exhausted.

Maroa.

Special Correspondence to THE REVIEW.

George Frey returned home Thursday afternoon.

Born, to William Woody and wife, Thursday evening, a boy. Fighting weight.

Mrs. George Ford of Argenta, is visiting her father-in-law, Peter Ford, and family.

J. W. Dill will move into the house recently vacated by Charles Schneck this week.

C. C. Randall left for Kansas Thursday afternoon. He will return in a few days loaded for more beer.

Mrs. Tim Waller and mother, Mrs. Catherine Irving left Wednesday for Louisville, this state, to visit Mrs. Waller's sister.

Col. White, of Springfield, will lecture at the opera house on Thursday, Sunday and Monday.

William Stenteborough, the theatrical artist of our city, was in Decatur Thursday evening to see his best girl, "Little Annie Rooney."

Colonel Stafford, of Springfield, Ill., as assistant general of the Illinois brigade, U. S. R. of 14, was in town Thursday, shaking hands with the boys, and getting the general feeling of the members here as to the number likely to attend the national encampment at Milwaukee in July, preparatory to making arrangements for that event. He called upon a number of the members in company with Capt. W. F. McClung, leaving here very favorably impressed with the outlook for that event.

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The Paving Exposition.

J. G. Shea and John Grass have returned from Indianapolis, where they went to see the paving exposition. It was a very extensive affair and was attended by municipal officers from all parts of the country. The asphalt men appeared to have taken the exposition and did most of the talking, but visitors generally were interested in brick pavements, and especially in the exhibition made by Decatur. Its cheapness was a surprise and brought out many inquiries. A large number of orders are expected as a result of the information disseminated.

Funeral of Rev. E. P. Moore.

The body of the late Rev. E. P. Moore was brought from Springfield Friday night, and taken to the residence of Mrs. Moore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McGowan, at 400 West King street. The funeral will take place at 2 o'clock to-day from the A. M. E. church, with the Rev. C. H. Sheen, officiating. A large number of people will be in the city from Springfield and Champaign to attend the funeral ceremonies.

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Alumni Meeting.

The Alumni of the Decatur High School will hold a meeting at the High School building next Tuesday evening, for the purpose of electing officers and to make arrangements for the annual banquet and entertainment.

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